



Newsletter Friday 10th February 2023

Next week's lunch menu is 'Week 2'

Celebrations!



It was great to host our All Stars Assembly this week. It is always lovely to welcome parents for this celebration.

Congratulations to the children named below. 😊

Be proud - George

Be determined – Michael, Elden

Be kind and caring - Makelavan

Be independent - Scarlett

Reach high – Aaron, Keira, Elden

Well done to the following children who have achieved **Monster Points** certificates:

25: Ka Pong

50: Ava-Grace, Joshua, Oscar, Layla, Emmie, Felix

75: Logan, Lilly-Beau, Ethan, Ellie, Hanaa, Ruairi, Alissia, Imogen, Makelavan, Esther, Divyansh, Isla, Flynn, David, Ilya, Jasper, Arlo, Ava, Aaron-James, George, Keira, Millie, Leanne, Ashley

100: Archie, Daria

Rainbow Reading Awards

Well done to the following children for all the reading at home:

Red: Aaron, Thomas

Orange: Jasper, Yazan, Mikey

Green: Bonnie

Blue: Andrei

Gold: Kayden, Lizzie

Attendance Award

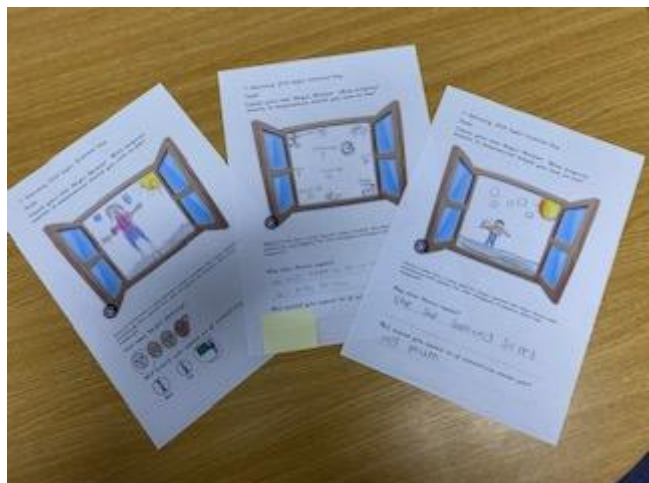
This week the award goes to Foxes with 96% attendance. Well done!

Parents & Friends Association (PFA)

We hope you saw our letter about the first Annual General Meeting of our PFA, which is being held to elect a committee. Please consider putting yourself forward. **The deadline is Friday 17th February.** If you need any further information, please see Mrs Shaw.

Safer Internet Day

Tuesday 7th February was Safer Internet Day. The children attended a special assembly all about it. Here's some work from Fox Class where the children had to think about a Magic Window. They also thought about why a character called Hanni was upset by something she saw and who she could tell.



<p>Dates for your diary:</p> <p>Monday 13th February – Phonics workshops for Year R parents/carers.</p> <p>Monday 20th February – Friday 24th February – Half term break.</p> <p>Thursday 2nd March – World Book Day</p>	<p>Tuesday 7th and Wednesday 8th March – Parents' Evenings</p> <p>Tuesday 7th March – Y1 Visit to Farm Wednesday 8th March – Y2 Visit to Farm Thursday 9th March – YR Visit to Farm</p> <p>Friday 17th March – Red Nose Day Friday 31st March – End of term</p>
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Spotlight on Learning

This is a new feature of the newsletter to tell you what exciting things your child has learnt this week. Why not ask them about it? "To explain is to learn twice".

The children in Reception have been learning about and comparing animals that live in the African safari with animals that live in local habitats.



The children in Year 1 have been learning all about penguins so they can write a report about them. Their amazing fact is that penguins do not taste their food – and swallow it whole!



Year 2 pupils have been learning about food chains and discussed producers, consumers and predators. They have produced zigzag book to show food chains from different habitats. Year 2 have also shown some amazing design and sewing skills!



In year 2 we have been making bags in D&T. We began by making a paper plan of our bag with a design on the front to reflect our learning in geography on Kampong Ayer. We then made our bags by sewing together two pieces of felt. The final step was to evaluate our work. We were extremely proud of our creations and cannot wait to take them home and show everyone.



Evaluation

Do you like your bag? Why/ why not?

Yes BECAUSE I LIKE THE WAY

Does your bag look like your original design? Did you need to make any changes?

No BECAUSE THE HANDLE COLOR IS DIFFERENT

How could you improve your bag?

PUT A BUTTON ON THE BAG

PICCOLLAGE